**Taboo Words and Cultural Mores (or Folkways)**

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Let’s face it, all languages have swear, or cuss words. Typically these are words that we don’t want to hear all the time, but we do hear them nonetheless.

This is not so much a discussion on swear words, but it is on the type of words that we use when we swear. That is to what are those words referring? And, most importantly, when is it acceptable to use those words?

1. When do some people use these words?

Making reference to as many languages as possible (Korean, English etc.) list (this will be a short one, trust me) what taboo words typically refer to when they are used.

* Korean
* English

1. When a person uses these words what are they clearly demonstrating?